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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Dear Sir:

The Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner mailed June 4, 2010, finally rejecting claims 8 and 21-30.

The fee for filing this Notice of Appeal is \$540.00. The fee has been paid concurrently with the filing of this Notice. In addition a Request for a One-month Extension of Time has been filed and paid for concurrently to file this Notice by October 4, 2010. If the amounts paid are insufficient, or should any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason relating to the enclosed materials, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct said fees from IBM Corporation, Deposit Account No. 09-0447.

Respectfully submitted,

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